

# ***ITEMS EXCLUDED AS HOUSEHOLD GOODS***

The term “Household Goods” does not include the following:

1. Personal baggage when carried free on tickets.
2. Automobiles, trucks, vans and similar motor vehicles, major auto parts (doors, hoods, etc.), airplanes, mobile homes, camper trailers, and farming vehicles.
3. Live animals not required in the performance of official duties, including birds, fish and reptiles.
4. Articles of HHG acquired after the effective date of PCS orders except when purchased in the US for shipment to a duty station outside the US with the approval of the appropriate authority of the Service concerned, when they are bona fide replacement articles which have become inadequate, worn out, broken, or unserviceable on or after the effective date of the orders but before the date the bulk of the HHG are released to the transportation officer or carrier for shipment.
5. Cordwood and building materials.
6. Property for resale, disposal or commercial use rather than for use by the member and dependents.
7. Privately owned live ammunition.

NOTE: Local laws or carrier regulations may prohibit commercial shipment of certain articles that are not included in the preceding itemization. Articles, such as those listed in the following itemization, are frequently prohibited by such laws and regulations.

1. Property liable to impregnate or otherwise damage equipment or property (e.g., hazardous articles including explosives, flammable and corrosive materials, poisons, etc.).
2. Articles which cannot be taken from the premises without damage to the article or the premises.
3. Perishable articles including frozen foods, articles requiring refrigeration, or perishable plants unless:
  - a. Shipment is to be transported not more than 150 miles or delivery accomplished within 24 hours from the time of loading,
  - b. No storage of shipment is required, and
  - c. No preliminary or en route services or watering or other preservative method is required of the carrier.

# ***UNAUTHORIZED ITEMS***

## Combustive:

Alcoholic Beverages  
(single container exceeding one gallon)  
Alcohols  
Antifreeze compounds  
Camphor oil  
Fluid cleaner  
(cleaners containing combustive materials)

## Corrosive Liquids:

Acids – muriatic, Nitric, photographic sulfuric  
Battery with acid  
Disinfectants  
Dyes  
Flame retardant compounds  
Iron/steel rust preventing/removing compounds  
Paint and related materials

## Explosives:

Ammunition  
Black powder  
Blasting caps  
Dynamite, plastics or any similar explosives  
Explosive auto alarm  
Fireworks  
Fuse lighters  
Igniters  
Primers  
Propellants  
Signal Flares  
Smokeless powder  
Souvenir explosive instruments of war  
Spear guns having charged heads  
Toy propellants or smoke devices

## Flammables:

Acetone  
Adhesives (glues, cements, and plastics)  
Ammonia  
Charcoal briquettes  
Cleaning Fluids  
Compound 3 weed killers  
Denatured Alcohol

## Flammables (continued):

Enamel  
Gasoline  
Insecticides  
Kerosene  
Lacquer  
Leather dressing or bleach  
Lighter fluids (pockets, charcoal, camp stove,  
Lamp or torch)  
Liquors  
(single container exceeding one gallon)  
Matches  
Oil stains for wood  
Paint  
Paint or Varnish remover  
Petroleum products  
Polishes, liquid  
(metal, stove, furniture and wood)  
Propane tanks  
Propane or other gas for cooking or heating  
Shellac  
Shoe Polish (liquid)  
Solvents, plastic  
Stains  
Turpentine  
Varnish  
Wood filler

## Compressed Gases:

Engine Starting Fluid  
Fire Extinguishers  
Gases used in Welding  
Scuba diving tanks\*

\* Only those scuba tanks containing not more than 25 pounds per square inch at 70 degrees Fahrenheit may be shipped as household goods or unaccompanied baggage.

Information on disposal of unauthorized items in Montgomery county Ohio can be found at <http://www.mcswd.org/programs/hhw.htm>